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Property Crimes in the Foothills Area Command: April 18, 2019

2 Stolen Vehicles: 11800-block of Menaul Blvd NE, 1400-block of Willys Knight Dr NE.

1 Commercial Burglary: 13000-block of Lomas Blvd NE.

1 Residential Burglary: 11200-block of Campo Del Oso Ave NE.

5 Auto Burglaries:

6200-block of Peachtree Pl NE: Broke window to vehicle parked in driveway, searched vehicle, unknown if anything stolen.

5300-block of Jessie Dr NE: Broke window to steal cash, stereo.

13200-block of Mountain Shadow Rd NE: Stole binoculars, no method of entry noted at time of research.

12700-block of Desert Sky Ave NE: Broke window to steal wallet.

1200-block of Gretta St NE: Stole personal papers left inside unlocked vehicle.

Headed to workshop services this weekend?

Clear your vehicle of all items of value and anything with your personal information. Carry the registration and proof of insurance with you when you exit the vehicle. Lock up. Double check to make sure you left windows rolled up, doors locked and there is nothing visible inside the vehicle. **What are you doing?** Practicing crime prevention and 'target hardening' by making your vehicle a 'hard target' and causing an auto burglar to move away and seek out a weaker target somewhere else. Houses of worship will be packed this weekend and most likely have overflow parking on side streets – these will be 'target rich environments' for auto burglary and auto theft. Do what you can to prevent being a target before you leave the house to head over for services and enjoy peace of mind that you deployed your crime prevention skills.

Albuquerque Police Department Events this Weekend:

Albuquerque Block Captain Association's Spring Conference: Saturday, April 20th from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at the APD Academy, 5412 Second Street NW. Geared towards Neighborhood Watch Block Captains, but open to all with a crime prevention interest. Questions? Call APD Crime Prevention's Laura Kuehn at 768-2006. Free and option to join ABCA at the conference.

VIN (Vehicle Identification Number) Etching: Saturday, April 20th from 9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. at the Journal Center. Free VIN etching on glass parts of your vehicle to prevent auto theft. Bring vehicle and current registration.

Be safe! Jill Garcia, Crime Prevention Specialist / ICPS NCPS – APD, Foothills Area Command